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Source, Operational Data, and Comments:

Subject: Information Passed to SIFAR from the W. Germany I.S. through Karl HASS

1. Attached in photocopy and microfilm copy are the following materials which the West Germany I.S. sent to SIFAR through Karl HASS:
 - a) Letter to (Colonel) ROSSI (in German) — Translated in envelope
 - b) Material containing information on Hungary
 - c) Material containing information on Romania

{ see att. sheet for additional items E.Gen.
2. HASS opened the envelopes to make photocopies of the documents for speculation purposes. It is not yet known to whom he intends to sell the photographic copies of the material.
3. HASS' contacts are being carefully watched, and developments in this case will be reported as they occur.
4. No copies are retained.
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Italian source memo. Sept. 30 transmitting copies of Heintz pouch: 1. Letter from Heinz office (signed "Schultz?") Bent. 24. refers to pending questions:

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ding questions:
Direct W/T communications
Exchange of S/W procedures
Recognition of the seal
Verification of data

The It. memo says that Hass was the transmitter; that he opened the envelopes to make copies for speculation purposes; not yet known to whom he intends to sell copies. His contacts being carefully watched; developments will be reported as they occur.

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to materiale informativo che il servizio tedesco, per segno-
zo di Karl HASS, ha testé inviato al SIPAR;

- 1°) - lettera diretta al Colonnello ROSSI;
- 2°) - fascicolo di notizie sull'Ungheria;
- 3°) - fascicolo di notizie sulla Romania.-

HASS ha aperto i plachi per procurare la copia fotografica
dei documenti a scopo speculativo.-

Non è ancora noto a chi intenda vendere la riproduzione fo-
tografica del materiale.-

Riserva di farci seguire attentamente i contatti di HASS e si
conoscerà quale uso ne farà.-

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Rossi

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24. September 1953

Herrn
Oberst Rossi
Rom / Italien

Personal

Sehr geehrter Herr Oberst!

Durch die mit den Wahlen zusammenhängenden wichtigen Regierungsbesprechungen ist mein Chef, Herr Oberst. Heinz, im Augenblick ständig unterwegs. Er war daher nicht in der Lage, schriftlich zu den von Ihnen vorgetragenen Punkten, betreffs Verbesserung unserer Zusammenarbeit, Stellung nehmen. Er lässt Sie durch mich herzlichst grüßen und bittet Sie Verständnis dafür zu haben, wenn er zum derzeitigen Zeitpunkt noch keinen abschließenden Bescheid geben kann. Über folgende Punkte:

1. Direkte Funkverbindung
2. Austausch von Geheimschrift-Verfahren
3. Kennzeichnung des Siegels
4. Überwachung des Funkverkehrs Polen - CSR

In Weiterführung unserer begonnenen Zusammenarbeit überreiche ich Ihnen mit Kurier im Auftrag des Obersten Heinz:

1. Eine Übersicht über die sowj. Landstreitkräfte in der SBZ.
2. Eine Gliederung des Ministeriums des Inneren der SBZ.
(Beide Berichte sind in einem grünen Heftor zusammengefasst)
3. Eine Ausarbeitung über die Aluminium-Industrie Ungarns.

Den weiteren ist eine Original-Meldung in Abschrift beigelegt, die sich mit den Flotten-Manövern der rumänischen Donau-Flottille befasst. Wir wären Ihnen dankbar, wenn Sie uns anlässlich des nächsten Austausches, der vorbehaltlich Ihres Einverständnisses, voraussichtlich gegen Mitte Oktober geplant ist, eine Auskunft darüber erteilen könnten, ob Sie Informationen ähnlicher Art erhalten haben.

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Des weiteren wären wir dankbar, wenn Sie uns auf den Austausch-
wege eine zusammenfassende Darstellung der bulgarischen Streit-
kräfte (Heer, Marine, Luftwaffe, Grenzschatz-Einheiten) und der
sowjetischen Besatzungstruppen in Bulgarien, überlassen könnten.

Die oben angeführten Unterlagen übersenden wir Ihnen in doppeltem
Umschlag, wobei beide Hullen 5-fach verniegelt sind.

Mit dem Ausdruck meiner vorzüglichen Hochachtung

i.A.

Herrig

Einen großen Aufschwung erfuhr die ungarische Aluminium-
Industrie kurz vor und im letzten Kriege, als die deutsche Aluminium-
Industrie daran ging, sich diese bedeutende strategische Roh-
stoffquelle des zentraleuropäischen Raumes nutzbar zu machen.
In den Jahren 1939 bis 1942 wurden mit vornehmlich deutschem
Kapital die Tonerdefabriken ALMASFÜZITÓ und AJKA sowie das
Aluminium-Schmelzwerk AJKA erbaut und die inzwischen entstande-
nen kleineren ungarischen Werke, Tonerdefabrik MAGYARÓVAR und
Schmelzwerk TATABÁNYA ausgebaut.

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Translation of letter from the German:

24 September 1953

Personal to Colonel ROSSI, Rome, Italy.

Very honored sir:

My superior, Colonel HEINZ, has been constantly ~~occupied~~^{preoccupied w/} through the important governmental talks in connection with the recent(German) elections. He was therefore not in the position to write to you ~~concerning~~ taking a position on the suggested points for improvement of collaboration between us. He wants me to greet you warmly and requests your understanding that up to the present he has given no firm opinions concerning the following points:

1. Direct radio contact;
2. Exchange of S/W methods;
3. Recognition of seals;
4. Monitoring of Polish-Czech Radio Traffic.

Extending our already commenced collaboration, I transmit herewith by courier on orders of Colonel HEINZ the following:

1. Survey of the Soviet ground forces in the SovOccupation Zone(Germany?)
2. OB Run-down on the Ministry of Interior of East Germany.(Both reports are attached together in a green cover).
3. A survey of the Hungarian Aluminum Industry.

Further is ^{copy of an} ~~an original~~ report attached, concerning the fleet maneuvers of the Rumanian Danube River flotilla. We would be very grateful if, ~~in~~ ^{as per} ~~our next exchanges~~ probably to take place in mid-October if you are in agreement, you could impart to us any info concerning it(i.e. the above

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report on Danube fleet) if you receive any information of a similar nature. Further, we would be very grateful if you could pass to us a survey report on the Bulgarian armed forces(Army, Navy, Air Force, and Border Guard units) and on the Soviet occupation troops in Bulgaria.

We are sending the above-referred to attachments to you in double envelopes on which both wrappings have been sealed five times.

With the expression of my highest respect,
(signature illegible)

Leichtlin perhaps "SCHULZ" P. RDS

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Note re microfilm enclosed with OIR-671, 2 Nov 53.

The film (approx. 29 pp.) contains 2 items on East Germany which are not listed in the despatch. Full list and comments (following very quick reading of the microfilm) is as follows: All material in German,

a. Letter to Col. Rossi signed "Schulz" (Capt. Mueller, Capote's Munich office man.)

b. 15-pp. brochure entitled "Hungarian Aluminium Industry", published by "Soennecken, Bonn a.s Dina-3", date Aug. 31, 53, containing several tables and graph of production, description of individual refineries, &c.

c. 5-pp. report on "Disklokation" of Soviet Troops in East Zone, as of Aug. 53.

(on the film, the cover of item C precedes item d, and the 3 pages of contents of item c follow immediately after d.)

d. Report re Fleet Manoeuvres of Rumanian Danube flotilla, Sept. 14, 1953 (4 pp.)

e. Report entitled:

"Gliederung des Min. des Innern der SBZ unter Berücksichtigung der durch den Aufstand von 17. June 1953 eingetretenen Veränderungen".

(Organization of the Ministry of the Interior of the Eastern Zone, taking into consideration the changes made as a result of the riots of June 17, 1953.")

(8 pp., dated Sept. 10, 1953)

We would be glad to have the comments of EE/Reports on the value of these reports as a comment on the quality of Capote's take.

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